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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

ELECTRONIC CARD GAME AND METHOD

which is:

- an Original; or
a Continuation, Divisional, or Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior Application No. filed
Anticipated Group/Art Unit: or Class , Subclass
 This non-provisional patent application is based on Provisional Patent Application No.
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Enclosed are:

- Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 20 pages.
 Application Data Sheet.
 Newly executed Declaration (copy).
 Copy of Declaration from prior application.
 Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).
 8 sheets of drawings (formal).
 Microfiche computer program (Appendix).
 Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:
 Computer readable copy Paper Copy Verified Statement.
 Under PTO-1595 Cover Sheet, an assignment of the invention
 Name of Assignee: **Merit Industries, Inc.**
 Certified copy(ies) of Application No(s). filed is/are filed:
 herewith or in prior application
 Applicant(s), by its/their undersigned attorney, claim(s) Small Entity Status under
37 C.F.R. §1.27 as an Independent Inventor, or a Small Business Concern,
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